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Docket No. 5677-216

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is a utility patent application

Of: Mark J. Chimel et al.

For: BARS AND CONFECTIONERIES CONTAINING COCOA SOLIDS HAVING A HIGH COCOA POLYPHENOL CONTENT AND STEROL ESTERS AND PROCESSES FOR THEIR PREPARATION

ENCLOSED are the following:

1. ☒ Specification, abstract and claims (33 pages)
2. ☒ 1 sheets of ☒ formal ☐ informal drawings (Fig. 1)
Suggested Figure for Publication: _____
3. ☐ Declaration
☐ signed ☐ unsigned
☐ Copy from a prior application (for continuation/divisional)
4. ☐ Preliminary Amendment
5. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement and PTO-1449
6. ☐ Assignment and Assignment Recordation sheet (*Fee calculated separately*)
7. ☐ The prior application is assigned to: _____
The assignment was recorded on _____ at reel _____ and frame _____.
☐ A copy of the assignment from the prior application is enclosed.
8. ☐ Non-Publication Request

NOTE the following:

9. ☐ This application is made under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53 (b) and is a
☐ Continuation ☐ Continuation-In-Part ☐ Divisional
of Prior Application No. _____ filed _____

10. ☐ An Extension of time is filed concurrently herewith for the parent application.
11. ☐ Applicants claim priority from the following application(s) under 35 U.S.C. § 119:
12. ☐ Applicants claim priority from the following application(s) under 35 U.S.C. § 120:
- Serial Number Country Filing Date Certified Copy Encl.

13. ☐ Cancel claims _____ prior to calculation of the filing fee.

FILING FEE: calculated below (after accounting for any preliminary amendment or claims cancellations if noted above):

Basic Filing Fee			\$750.00
Total No. Claims 26	Extra Claims(Total-20) 6	Fee / claim \$18.00	\$108
Total No. Independent Claims 10	Extra Independ.(No.-3) 7	Fee / claim \$84.00	\$588
Multiple dependent claim? + \$280			\$0
Sub-Total			\$750.00
Small Entity? less 50%			0
TOTAL FEE DUE			\$1,446.00

14. ☒ The Commissioner is authorized to charge \$1,446.00 in connection with this communication to Deposit Account No. 50-0521.

In the event that a petition for extension of time is required to be submitted in the pending prior application, and in the event that a separate petition for the pending prior application is not filed on even date, applicant hereby petitions under 37 C.F.R.1.136(a) for an extension of time in the pending prior application of as many months as are required to render this submission timely. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees due in connection with such a petition to Deposit Account No. 50-0521.

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Respectfully submitted,

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